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Thank you for your letter of 13 beptember 1955 with which you enclosed a copy of a Resolution passed by the Council of the city of Greenbelt requesting that CIA locate its proposed new building at a site within that community.

Ouring the past week, we have had two meetings with representatives of Prince Georges County and Maryland planning officials in connection with their proposal that we locate at Greenbelt. The warmth of the urging of these officials has indeed been gratifying.

As you may know, we have engaged an independent firm of engineers to review the sites which we are considering, and the Maryland representatives indicated above presented their case to these engineers at a meeting here on 21 September 1955. They are also submitting additional supporting data. I appreciate your continued interest in this matter and your bringing the Resolution to my personal attention.

With kindest regards, i am

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September 13, 1955

Mr. Allen W. Dulles Director, Central Intelligence Agency 2430 E Street, N.W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

I am attaching copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, in connection with the proposed site in that area for the new CIA building.

You will note they have asked that a meeting be arranged and it will be appreciated if this is done.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Glenn Beall

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Resolution

BIDDING FOR CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO LOCATE A NEW OFFICE BUILDING WITHIN THE GREENBELT AREA

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland that the Central Intelligence Agency has under consideration several sites for the proposed C.I.A. building, one of which sites is located within the corporate limits of the City of Greenbelt, and

WHEREAS, Said site is part of the 1160 acre tract now owned by the United States Government and under the jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior, having been transferred to said department for park land from the Public Housing Administration, and

WHEREAS, Said C.I.A. building site would require only a small segment of this now unimproved Government-owned land, and

WHEREAS, Said proposed Greenbelt site is adjacent to the new Washington-Baltimore Parkway, and along the new dual lane Edmonston Road, and within a helf-mile of the proposed Inter-County Belt Freeway, making it one of the most accessible sites in the entire Washington metropolitan area, and

WHENEAS, Said Greenbelt site is virtually the hub of extensive residential development, either now under construction or in the advanced planning stages, now therefore:

EE IT MESOLVED, That the Council of the City of Greenbelt instruct the City Manager to prepare letters to His Honor, Theodore R. McKeldin, Governor of the State of Maryland, to Senators John Marshall Butler and J. Glenn Beall, to Congressman Richard Lankford, and to Mr. Allen Dulles, Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, setting forth the advantages of the proposed Greenbelt site, and requesting an interview with the officials in charge of selecting the site for the proposed C.I.A. building.

Passed by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at SPECIAL meeting, Saturday, September 3, 1955.

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